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SENATOR MARVEL: May I ask one more question, Senator Stahmer. There seems to be some appearance on the part of Senator Whitney's Senator Stahmer, Senator More, that I'm questioning your integrity. That is beside the point. That is not the issue at all. I have seen over the last few months and the last few years a complete lack of administration in this state in the area of mental health. All we get from the department of public institution is alibi and confusion. Now, I'd like to ask you one question. If I might, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Go ahead.

SENATOR MARVEL: Do you have in your proposed amendments, the adoption of the advisory committee, that is spelled out in the amendments that I proposed.

SENATOR STAHMER: Yes, Sir.

SENATOR MARVEL: Word for word. Is it the a..same amendment.

SENATOR STAHMER: Yes, Sir. Word for word.

SENATOR MARVEL: O.K. with that in mind I will ask unanimous consent to withdraw my amendment, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Are there any objections to Senator Marvel withdrawing that amendment? Hearing none, so ordered. The amendment is withdrawn. All right, we are down to the next amendment then. Senator Marvel, push off your little light, will you, for me please.

CLERK: The next amendment is offered by Senator Goodrich. It is found on page 1131 of the Journal, and he now request to withdraw it.

PRESIDENT: Senator Goodrich is asking unanimous consent to withdraw the amendment. Senator Goodrich.

SENATOR GOODRICH: I have two of them up there that I am asking to withdraw both of them.

PRESIDENT: All right, are there objections. Hearing none. So ordered. Both of them are withdrawn. What else do we have on the bill.

CLERK: Now, Mr. President the next amendment is offered by Senator Schmit.

PRESIDENT: All right, Senator Schmit back to you.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Mr. President and members of the Legislature. I have distributed a copy of my amendment. My amendment does only one thing. It provides that Butler and Polk counties will be transferred from region 4 to region 5. This provides that they will be in the same region, as many other regions. The mental health region, the region for aging, economic development and many other, and should relieve and have much less confusion in administration, and I move the adoption of the amendment.

PRESIDENT: All right, we have only the Schmit amendment before us at this time, which transfers Butler and I believe another